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**Response to Non Final Official ~~Communication~~-Action dated 09/25/2008**

Sir,

This ~~preliminary amendment~~response is filed in reply to the official communication dated 25 September 2008. The commissioner is respectfully requested to enter the amendments as set forth hereunder.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. The listing of claims replaces all prior versions without prejudice.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.